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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

This is to confirm that on November 2, 2006, Examiner Christian LaForgia and the undersigned had a telephonic interview, during which claims 1 through 37 were discussed, along with the following prior art references: U.S. patents 6,675,153; 6,327,578; and 5,717,989.

During the interview, the undersigned reiterated the arguments made in Amendment C mailed September 20, 2006. Much of the discussion centered on the 35 USC § 101 rejection of claims 1-36 made by the Examiner in his Office Action dated March 22, 2006.

No exhibit was shown, nor any demonstration conducted.

No agreement was reached regarding the allowability of any claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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